SELLERS TO FIGHT

Larned Hospital Head in Botkin's Footsteps.

He'll Not Give Up Office Without a Struggle.

Dr. L. R. Sellers, superintendent of the Larned state hospital, may refuse to hand in his resignation as head of the new state institution, according to a rumor today in state house circles. Should Dr. Sellers refuse to quit, it is probable that he will test the law per-

probable that he will test the law permitting the selection of a superintendent who is not a physician.

Recently Dr. Sellers was advised by the state board of control, that his services would be dispensed with. His resignation was asked by the board, at the direction of Governor Capper. According to H. C. Bowman, of the control board, Dr. Sellers was discharged for "inefficiency," although he had served fifteen years as an assistant in the Osawatomie state hospital. These years included the time Bowman was chairman of the control board.

At the governor's direction, Sherman Elliott of Lawrence was appointed. Elliott is experienced in hospital work, but is not a physician. Now, it is reported, Dr. Sellers may decline to quit, alleging that his removal was for political reasons and further that his successor is not qualified under the law. Dr. Sellers is a standpat Republican. Elliott is a progressive Republican.

WANT ARMED MEN

[Continued from Page One.] alive without the aid of troops-

not then. Sweet Is Scared.

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"Sweet knows the situation perfection."

It isn't necessary to tell him.

Why, you couldn't drive him out of the Dodge City fail with a club. He knows what would be waiting for him outside. The people in Dodge City are almost as deeply aroused as those in Grant county."

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Just now the task before the Grant county lawyer is to force from Sweet a confession of the crime.

"There isn't a doubt in my mind about his guilt." said Stubbs.

Then the lawyer explained why he had once faltered in his judgment concerning the man under arrest. It was when a dentist made a statement concerning the teeth prints on Miss Byers's body.

"I found out since, though, that the test was made for the bridge of the mouth and not for the teeth themselves," said Stubbs. "That would make all the difference in the world. The position of Miss Byers's body, at the time she was attacked, would also be a matter of concern and I don't doubt for a minute now that Sweet's teeth were the ones that were embedded in the woman's breast."

Orders Henson's Release.

Before leaving for Topeka, Stubbs ordered the release of Clint Henson, held in the Dodge City jail for the Byers killing.

"Henson has a complete alibi and we have tested every word of it," said Stubbs. "He couldn't possibly average of the content of the state constitution which would give the state power to build roads.

"No man's pet scheme is to be "No man's pet scheme is to be served."

developed several new clews and that if these are substantiated, the missing links in the chain of circumstances against Sweet will be supplied.

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"I brought a sult of Sweet's under-" wear to Topeka with me," said Stubbs, "I believe there is a blood spot on the underwear and I believe that it is the blood of Nellie Byers.

Attacked From Behind. 'Again. There is no doubt that the "Again. There is no doubt that the woman was attacked from behind. She was struck on the head. In Henson's home we found a 'billy' which was probably the instrument used."

There were no blood stains or evidences of hair on the instrument, but a fresh mark indicated to Stubbs that it may have dropped on the sand and it may have dropped on the sand and

at may have dropped on the saind and stepped on during the scuffle, "If the woman had not been attack-ed from behind, she would have whip-ped Sweet in a fair, open fight," the lawyer declared. An effort will be made to force a confession from Sweet. In this man-ner, Stubbs hopes to avoid the neces-

ssion from Sweet. In this man-stubbs hopes to avoid the neces-of a trial and the prospect of a lynching.
"Sweet has admitted all of his for-

mer offenses and I believe he will con-fess to this one," said the prosecutor. "But if a trial is really necessary, I dread to think what may happen. You simply don't know the temper of those

SIGNS OF BALL PEACE

Federal Owners and O. B. Magnate Meet in Cincinnati.

magnates and Federal League owners were held here Tuesday.

Harry Sinclair of the New York Federal League club held a short conference with August Herriman, chairman of the National commission, while Charles Weeghman, of the Chicago Federals, consulted with a repre sentative of the Chicago Nationals

A Georgia Drummer's Tale. was traveling in the south and He was traveling in the south and had to put up over night at a secondrate hotel in western Georgia. He said to the clerk when he entered, "Where shall I autograph?" "Autograph?" said the clerk. "Yes, sign my name, you know." "Oh, right here." As he was signing his name in the register, in came three roughly clothed, unshorn fellows immediately recognizin came three roughly clothed, unshorn fellows immediately recognizable as Georgia Crackers. One of of them advanced to the desk. "Will you autograph?" asked the clerk, his face aglow with the pleasure that comes from the consciousness of intellectual superiority. "Certainly," said the Georgia Cracker, his face no less radiant than that of the clerk, "mine's rve."—The Argonaut. 'mine's rye."-The Argonaut.

The Great Parade on Kansas Avenue

WILL STOP AT AUGUST'S, where the greatest sale on Men's and Ladies' Wearables for Winter will take place. During my career I have made many prepartions for a Big Sale-but I candidly state, that the preparations I have made for the opening of my sale tomorrow, eclipses any sale I have ever had. COME DOWN TOWN TOMORROW—Make a Bee-Line for my store, and I will convince you that as far as buying goods for nothing, my sale will come nearer to it tomorrow, than any sale ever held by any body in the world. TO MATCH MY SALE AND PRICES on merchandise tomorrow is entirely out of the question; I will sell good, dependable merchandise so cheap, that a competi-

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19¢ buys Ladies' 25c Wool Hose	39¢ buys Misses' 75c Union Suits	50¢ buys Men's Dress Shirts, with or with- out Collar, up to \$2.00	
25¢ buys Ladies' \$ 2.00 O. C. Handkerchief Linen Walsts	45¢ buys Men's 75¢ Union Suits	10¢ buys Ladies' and Children's 50c Rain Hats	

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tor, if at all in the race, would actually be compelled to donate them to you FREE.

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Topekans Hear of Great Interest in

"Henson has a complete alibi and we have tested every word of it," said Stubbs. "He couldn't possibly have been closer than six miles to the crime at the time it was committed."

Stubbs is convinced that the Henson family was away from home the night of the day Miss Byers was assaulted and killed. This fact, in his judgment, gave Sweet a better opportunity to carry out the details of his crime against the young woman.

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To SUCCEED BUCKMAN

Samuel I. Hale Appointed to Bar Examining Board.

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That is not all the evidence on which Stubbs relies in basing his judgment that Sweet committed the crime. In Topeka this afternoon he revealed the fact that the state has developed several new clews and that Buckman of Winfield. Hale's appoint-

Buckman's successor.

Hale is widely known in southwest
Kansas and is an able lawyer. He
has been active in politics in his district for a number of years and was
at once time a Democrat candidate for
congress. The late Judge Buckman was a Republican.

GEN. STERNBERG DEAD

Surgeon General of Army Passes Away at 77.

Washington, Nov. 3 .- Brig. Gen. George M. Sternberg, retired, surgeon general of the army from 1893 to 1902, and a Civil war veteran, died

General Sternberg was the author of a number of medical books.

Ready for Land Lottery. Minot, N. D., Nov. 3.—Preparations were being completed today for the drawing here tomorrow of the names of those who will be premitted to file on the Fort Berthol reservation lands, which will be thrown open to entry next May. Although there are only 700 homesteads, 2,050 names will be drawn from the total of 30,561 regis-tered, to assure the taking up of all

Wins Fortune and Dies. Charlottesville, Va., Nov. 3.—Henry Cincinnati, O., Nov. 3.—Baseball trol of his dead wife's estate, said to drice were considerably stirred to-day when it became known that two conferences between National League owners and Federal League owners meningitis. His baby son and heir is the said with his grandmother, Mrs.

Following are the observations of the United States Weather Bureau for the 24 hours ending at 7 o clock this morning:

High Low Rain or Temp. Temp. Snow.

Buffalo, N. Y. 46 34 T
Chicago, Ill. 56 40 .0
Concordia, Kan. 64 42 .0
Corpus Christi, Tex. 84 68 .0
Penver, Colo. 70 44 .0
Des Moines, Ia. 62 35 .0
Dodge City, Kan. 68 .0
El Paso, Tex. 80 46 .0
Gaiveston, Tex. 82 70 .0
Havre, Mone. 56 38 .0
Jacksonville, Fla. 80 60 .0
Kansas City, Mo. 60 46 .0
Kos Angeles, Cal. 70 55 .0
New York, N. Y. 68 42 .0
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TO Phoenix, Ariz. 86 56 .0
St. Joseph Mo. 62 48 .0
St. Louis Mo. 62 48 .0
San Francisco, Cal. 60 54 .0
Washington, D. C. 70 44 .0
Wichita, Kan. 70 52 .0



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J. C. Mobier, secretary of the state board of agriculture, who played rugby football at Washburn college twenty-five years ago, was in a retro-spective mood this noon at the Com-mercial club. "I'll tell you what I mercial club. "I'll tell you what I wish Washburn would do," said Jake.
"I wish she would do like the Aggies and K. U. are doing and give the old timers their W's. I played rugby when Washburn was in a triangular league with Baker and K. U. That was about twenty-five years ago,

hose were the days."
Mr. Mohler suggested that if Washburn would do something like this the school would get more support from

A meeting of the membership committee of the Rotary club was held this noon at the Commercial club. Harry Snyder, "brayer than thou

did not take lunch at the club this noon. Fred Volland said that he saw Harry last at the Shriner initiation then no one has heard from him.

"Topeka carpenters who are out of work can find something to do in Smith county," said Fred Cooper, edi-tor of the Construction News, this noon, in commenting on the shortage of carpenters in the western part of Kansas. "Out in Smith county the people are living in store buildings because there are not enough carpenters to build them houses. The workmen its work. are all busy building granaries on the farms and there is practically no building going on in the towns. Work in Topeka is scarce and if the carpenters want work all winter they can find it in western Kansas."

Its work."

A Ford car belonging to the Rev. W. M. Jackson, \$16 Huntoon street, will be music by the orchestra of the Third Presbyterian church and Mrs. E. F. Dowdy will sing. The song service will be led by C. S. Alexander.

R. O. Douglas, a young Kansas City lawyer, took luncheon at the club this noon with M. O. Locke.

Good roads is the all absorbing top-ic at the Commercial club these days. Any one who wants to go on the boost-er trip should notify Secretary Kelley of the Commercial club. The trip will be the biggest ever undertaken by the local club.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Mary Calk, age 55, died at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night at her home, 401 Liberty street. Short funeral services will be held at the home at 12 o'clock Thursday and regular services will be held at Linn Creek church at 2 o'clock. Interment in Linn Creek cemetery.

The body of G. H. Briggs, who was killed today by a Union Pacific train, will be taken to Junction City to-night and the funeral will be held The body of G. H. Briggs, who was killed today by a Union Pacific train, will be taken to Junction City tonight and the funeral will be held from the home of his mother, at that place. The body was held at the Shellabarger undertaking pariors today pending the arrival of the young man's relatives

The case of the city of Topeka against Tim Durkin, wherein the defendant is charged with keeping a nuisance, began this morning in the second division of the Shawnee county district court before Judge George H. Whitcomb. The case is an appeal from police court. Durkin's pool hall,

LOCAL MENTION.

The Ladies' Aid of the First German Methodist Episcopal church will be entertained by Mrs. L. Steinrauf at her home at 310 East Eighth street.

Thursday from 2:30 to 4 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pollom of Man-nattan, Kan., were Topeka visitors to-

A machine shop meeting will be held by the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Thursday noon. A. E. Peterson will only tomorrow. The pool in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium has been emptied for the win-

The telegraph school of the Santa

Fe will be addressed Friday at 10:45 ter. The girls don't like to swim in o'clock by the Rev. J. C. Hanna. Mrs. J. C. Gurley will sing.

A shed meeting will be held Friday noon by the Rallroad Y. M. C. A. J. J. Ballinger of the state temperance union will speak.

There will be a meeting of the dramatic club of the Topeka high school today at 2:30 o'clock. The following will speak.

Have your suit or overcoat madto order, \$25.00, at Olof Ekberg, 708
Kansas ave. second floor.—Adv.

If the white way around Capitol square is not completed in time to shed its radiance upon the visitors attending the state teachers conven-If the white way around Capitol square is not completed in time to shed its radiance upon the visitors attending the state teachers convention, it will not be due to any fault on the part of the city. "All of that part of the work which the city agreed to do and which has not been done, can be completed in less than a day," said Frank Newland, city commissioner of water and lighting. "We are all ready to make the final connections and turn on the juice, whenever the state gets through with its work."

Cletus Benbier, Eldon Shoup, Pauline Sanders, Paul Shrader, Vera Furman, Marguerite McDonald, Richard Lindenan, Edith Parfitt, Jennie Rooney, Walter Cole, Bert Nash, Esther Lindell and Anna Crane.

Miss Mary Farwell of Fredonia is visiting Mrs. G. W. Crawford, 1614 College avenue.

The gospel team of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. will be addressed Sunday by Governor Arthur Capper who will speak upon "Topeka's Boy and Girl

while the owner was attending a meeting held at the auditorium. The police are looking for the car.

Dr. H. M. Connor has returned from

John (Bull) Davis, "Doc" Crawford, Cora Patterson, Ethel Davis and Roy Tate, all colored, are being held by the state on a warrant charging them with being implicated in the slugging and robbery of A. McCallum, a North Topeka huckster. McCallum went to the Davis home Monday afternoon, bought Davis home Monday afternoon, bought a piano, took a drink and knew no more until 2 o'clock Tuesday morning when he awakened in a clump of willows east of the Santa Fe shops. He lost about \$155. All the prisoners were in the place at the time McCallum went dead to the world. The charge against them is grand larceny.

Suits 'ry cleaned 75c. Topek.

415 Holliday street, was raided last August by the police. They exhibit two barrels of "empties" and a quant-

Lewis, more than 21 years, old,

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familiar surroundings in her failing years, she says.

A bootlegger made a bad mistake unday by offering beer to the wrong arty. Three Topeka women were out party. Sunday afternoon, two driving and one riding. They wandered north of the state hospital and turned down a lit-tle road which led under some beautiful trees. The girl on horseback lagged behind and seeing an automobile in the woods which she thought she recognized she rode over close and was horried to find several painted women in the car and a man who immediately offered to self her some beer. Whipping the horse the girl dashed after her party, followed by a volley of epithets and imprecations.

A case of technicalities was brought to light today by the Provident association when the investigator found a woman with children whose hou county was paying rent for. I pened that she was not living in the house, but roomed where she worked a room being furnished her. She had sublet the house to another party When asked what the idea was, sh replied that the county was paying storage for her furniture, which she kept in the second story of her rented house. No action has been taken,

CROSSINGS UNSAFE

The love of home and the dread to break up a household that has been intact for 50 years, is keeping an old lady in West Topeka under obliga-tions to the city for support. Her son Few Railroad and Street Intersec tions Are Protected. has tried in every way to get her to come and live with him, but cannot afford to keep her in a separate house. The old lady cannot bear to leave the

a watchman is stationed there only part of the time. At the Seventh street and the Ninth street crossings there are neither bells nor watchmen. Of the numerous railroad crossings in North Topeka over the Union Pacific, only one has an alarm system, and at the Rock Island crossing on Kansas avenue, no warning is given when en gines and freight cars move about on that part of the Rock Island's tracks which are east of Kansas avenue.

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Bresnahan Was Not Drunk.
Chicago, Nov. 3.—Charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated and of assaulting with an automobile.

tions Are Protected.

Are railroad crossings in Topeka as well guarded as those of other cities? In nearly all the small cities in the state, crossings are equipped with signal systems, but Topeka seems to be overlooked.

There are several very much used crossings at which no automatic danger signals are installed, and at some watchmen are employed infrequently or not at ali.

At the Santa Fe crossing or East Tenth street there is no bell to sound warning of an approaching train, and a watchman is stationed there only part of the time. At the Seventh

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